

**2012 Calendar of Events
Prudence Crandall Museum**

Unless otherwise noted, exhibits and programs are available 10:00 am to 4:00 pm, do not require reservations, and are included in the regular museum admission price.

EXHIBITS

May 3 – November 4

Prudence Crandall: Her Life and Legacy

***"...To Get a Little More Learning": Education in Early 19th Century Connecticut
Acquiring History – Highlights from the Prudence Crandall Museum Collection***

May 20 – November 4

Friends and Neighbors: Canterbury's 18th & 19th Century African-American Residents

PROGRAMS

- May 5 **Friends of the Prudence Crandall Museum Annual Meeting** – 10:00 am
- May 12 **Freedom's Journey** – 2:00 pm
Poetry reading by Marilyn Nelson and outdoor dance by Deborah Goffe in collaboration with New Haven's International Festival of Art & Ideas
- May 20 **Spring Tea** – 1:00-3:00 pm
Tea with sweets and tea sandwiches. \$17 per person. Registration required. Sponsored by Friends of the Prudence Crandall Museum.
- June 9 **Connecticut Open House Day: "Millinery Magic"** – 11:00 am-3:00 pm
Hands-on activity. Free admission.
- July 4 Closed for the **Independence Day** holiday
- July 15 **Make A Copybook!** – 1:00-3:00pm
Hands-on activity for children.
- July 21 **Music at Twilight: East Woodstock Coronet Band** – 6:00-8:00 pm
Outdoor lawn concert. Sponsored by Friends of the Prudence Crandall Museum. *Rain location: Canterbury Community Center*
- August 5 **Music with Rick Spencer!** – 1:00-3:00pm
Activity for children.
- Sept. 1 **26th Annual Prudence Crandall Day** – 10:00 am – 4:00 pm
Outdoor event with crafters, food, and music throughout the day, with an enacted debate between an abolitionist and a slave owner at 1:30 pm. Special discounted admission fee of \$2 per person.
- Sept. 15 **Old Home Day** – 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Children's games on the museum lawn in collaboration with the Canterbury Historical Society's event. **Free admission.**

October 7 **The Archaeology of Connecticut's 18th & 19th Century African-American Residents** – 2:00 pm
Talk by the State Historic Preservation Office Archaeologist Dan Forrest.

November 4 **Tea with Prudence and Sarah**
Performance (2:00 pm), tea (seatings at 12:30 pm and 3:30 pm), and self guided tours of the museum. \$30 per person. Reservations required.